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| UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL <small>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(d))</small> | | Attorney Docket No. 217656US-3TTC CON |
| First Inventor or Application Identifier SHIGEO NAKAGAKI | | Title ELEVATOR WITH DRIVE UNIT SUPPORTED BY GUIDE RAIL |
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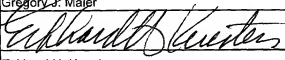
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18. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

☒ This application is a ☒ **Continuation** ☐ Division ☐ Continuation-in-part (CIP)
 of application Serial No. **09/393,688** Filed on **September 10, 1999**
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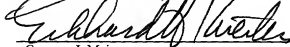
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